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Interesting News of the Week

The Most Important Happenings of the Week
As Told by our Correspondents

Salisbury Scribbblings

Our city is threatened with an ice famine.

Mrs. Ed Frazell is visiting her father's family at Paul's Valley, Okla.

Mrs. J. W. Ingram and Mrs. Geo. Ireland are at the lakes in the north.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Shiyes have gone west for the benefit of the latter's health.

Dr. C. Koenig and sister Miss Anna, are here visiting the family of W. R. Sweeney.

We regret to report that Miss Goldie Rodgers gradually grows worse, with no hopes of recovery.

Mrs. Hiron of Hannibal, Mo., and Mrs. Elizabeth Gore of Aberdeen, Wash., are visiting the family of Arthur Reed.

George Haring has been nursing a carbuncle on his arm for several days, that has given him much pain and annoyance.

Mrs. T. J. Jackson is repairing her dwelling house that was badly damaged by fire some time ago. Parks and Schler are doing the carpenter work.

Mrs. John Moore and her little child were thrown from their buggy Tuesday and badly shaken up, but not badly injured. The horse they were driving ran away with the above result.

Miss Clara Jackson was quite badly burned, by the tilting of a kettle of hot water, Tuesday morning, but her injuries are not dangerous. Her clothing prevented what might have been a fatal injury.

A boy at the home of W. B. Tillerson and a girl at the home of Geo. Hutton have added two to our population, as well as brought sunshine into the hearts of the parents. This is the way to build up the town.

From Louis Arnsperger we learn that while his sister was driving on the street, the wheel came off, throwing her out and causing the horse to run away, demolishing the vehicle. Fortunately the lady was not hurt.

At two o'clock Wednesday p. m. fire was discovered in a coal shed belonging to Harry Hunter and before the flames could be stayed, two or three out buildings had been destroyed and the cill part of the dwelling badly damaged. It was one of the hottest little fires ever felt. Here it took three streams of water to subdue it. Loss on main buildings covered by insurance.

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of William LaGrass, a long time honored citizen of this place, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Boatman, at Centralia, Mo., after a long and complicated illness, aged 80 years. Deceased was a widower, his wife having died here many years ago, and two children, Albert, a son, once Mayor of this city, and the daughter above mentioned, with their children are all that survive him. He was a member of the Christian church, and a man of the highest character. He was an appreciated friend of the writer, and in common with hundreds of others, we shall reverse his memory as long as life shall last.

Used by old friends, though gone before, We'll meet again, on that shore, Where spirits dwell, and angels sing Redemptive song before the King.

We regret to learn that Frank Frazell, who was taken to a sanitarium at Kansas City, for treatment, some ten days ago, is not improving as rapidly as could be desired, but hope he may get well through.

Pee Dee Prattle.

C. W. Shoemaker is on the sick list this week, threatened with typhoid fever.

Johnnie Washam and sister, Rally of Bynumville were visitors in this locality last week.

Mrs. Marion Cowser was summoned to Marceline on account of the illness of her grandson.

Mrs. Effie Miller of Hannibal, Mo., visited her brother, Willis Callahan and family Thursday.

Mrs. John Bennett and son, Herman visited relatives near Keytesville last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nora Dodge, the ever accommodating telephone operator of Bynumville was a visitor here last week.

Lloyd Williford employed by the Union News Co. of Moberly, is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. W. Shoemaker.

Nothing doing in the dry weather line in this part of the country this week—big rain—every thing lovely—and the goose hangs high.

We told you Wilson couldn't do it again. Our boys played them last Saturday. Score 10 to 9 in favor of Pee Dee, but Wilson did have some real good ice cream.

Dr. Griffith accompanied two of his patients to Kansas City Wednesday—Chas. Smith and John Bennett. Mr. Smith will probably enter a hospital for treatment.

Dr. Griffith's pond contains some strange looking frogs at times. Recently we have seen some green, gray and sorrel specimens, apparently not very good floaters.

Our ball team being somewhat nerved up with the last game with Wilson, jumped on to the Mike nine last Saturday and literally eat up every score, 22 to 8 in favor of Pee Dee.

Miss Jennie Wilkins, who is living with Giles Rice's family this summer happened to a very painful accident last Saturday night, suffering a hip joint fracture, which means a slow recovery. Dr. Griffith was called and the patient is resting nicely.

Mrs. Rosie Diens and her sister, Mrs. Lea and two children, returned to their home in Kansas City, Kan., accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Gafforn, who goes for a visit and rest, and may take special treatment for nervous trouble with which she has been afflicted for several months.

Its an ill wind that blows nobody good, true at this time as ever, as the farmers never had their wheat in the shock in better condition than now, and the last of this week will find it all harvested. Threshing will begin here this year in June, something never heard of here before.

Charles Kennedy of the Reed Milling & Elevator Co. of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Dawn Taylor of the Brown-Taylor Hardware Co. of Marceline visited their old school mate, Lorenzo Shands of the firm of R. R. Shands & Son Photographers, last week, thereby renewing the old school room bonds that form a tie not easily broken.

Mrs. S. S. Kales departed last week for her old home at Frankfort, Ky., where she will undergo an operation for tuberculous of the lungs. Her many friends regret very much the necessity of the operation, and sincerely trust she will speedily recover and be able to return home fully restored to health.

The Royal Neighbors observed children's day at this place last

Saturday evening, the evening was pleasant and a nice program was rendered. Mrs. Hattie Welch and P. C. Shoemaker assisted the children with their music. It was plainly demonstrated Saturday night that a suitable building is badly needed at this place to accommodate the public on such occasions.

G. W. Ford of Elk Lick Springs Pike county, Mo., is here visiting his son, J. L. Ford. Mr. Ford brings a gloomy report from his county, he says the drought is much worse there than here, being too dry for the farmers of that section to get much of their ground in order for planting corn. The oat crop is a failure and pastures completely destroyed.

Eccles Echoes.

Mrs. Kinzie was shopping in Salisbury Thursday.

Kinzie Bros. are starting to dig coal again.

Etta Perkins is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mart Shoemaker.

Perry Waterson bought a horse from Lefe Perry one day last week.

Mrs. Grindstaff spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Henry Drew and family.

Steve Bennett is preparing to go out threshing the latter part of this week.

Grace Kinzie and Clara Pointer spent Sunday with Mrs. Steve Bennett and family.

Will Kincaid and family and Miss Sarah Medlin and son, George, Sundayed at L. A. Embree's.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Jacob received a telegram last Monday that their daughter, Mrs. Sam Phillips of Moberly was very low, and for them to come at once.

FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.

Mrs. J. C. Medlin is on the sick list this week.

B. R. Collett and wife spent Sunday with W. M. Pfeiffer and family.

Ben Cox and wife visited in these parts Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. Q. Perkins' brother, wife and little daughter are visiting her.

There is a medicine show at Eccles this week. All are invited to attend.

J. V. Pointer, wife and little son, Orvel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Browning of near Salisbury.

Mr. Summers, wife and little daughter of Milan are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Perkins.

John Foudree and children of near Marceline are the guests of his daughter, Mrs. Rude Medlin.

Grace Kinzie has returned home after a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Shatto of Carrollton.

Wilson Medlin and wife and Hattie Medlin and wife of Brunswick were the guests of J. C. Medlin and family Saturday and Sunday.

Dalton Dots.

Edwin Herman of Moberly visited here Saturday and Sunday.

Meddames F. H. Meyer and R. Weener were shopping in Brunswick.

Wilks & Littlell shipped out three carloads of cattle and one of sheep from here Monday.

Threshers have begun and the wheat is turning out pretty fair, about an average of 25 bushels an acre.

Misses Lena and Leta Schulte visited their uncle, Carl Schulte of Keytesville, from Friday till Sunday.

Prof. J. W. Taylor of Keytesville came down Monday to do some plumbing work for Leach Bros. in the elevator just recently bought of C. A. Keyow.

Mr. McMillan of the firm of McMillan, Marsh & Co., of Hannibal, Mo., came to

Monday to look after his elevator and the buying of grain.

The young people of north of town gave an outing on the out-off-Saturday in honor of their friend, Miss Wright of Fayette. All enjoyed themselves immensely.

John Rodgers, who had been threshing wheat in Kansas for the last year, brought his machine in Saturday. It is the largest out-fit we have seen here for quite awhile.

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Rockford Rays.

The weather is hot and dry, and rain is needed very much.

We regret to learn that J. M. Kistler near Keytesville is very low.

Miss Mary Alice Young is spending the week with her cousin, May Young.

Meddames G. M. Huckbay E. M. and A. M. Webb spent Wednesday with W. S. Temple.

Millard Gardener of north of Keytesville was in this vicinity part of last week.

Mrs. Richard Conrad of short east Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Eliza Prewitt.

Those on the sick list are as follows: Dempsey Hamner, Raymond Coy and Irene Padgett.

Wheat threshing and fanning trying to keep cool is the principal occupation in this neighborhood.

Miss Cora Mae Guilford is visiting her cousin Mrs. Carl Sanders of Forrest Green this week.

The medicine show at Rockford last week was well attended and the people seemed to enjoy themselves extremely well.

The German Medicine Co., which conducted a show at Rockford last week, left Sunday for Eccles. They gave away a beautiful set of silverware for the most popular young lady, which was won by Miss Tena Webb.

Chraneville.

Everybody is rejoicing over the fine rain we had Friday.

Miss Mabel Patnot of Keytesville is visiting Miss Beanie May Cavanah.

Buford Stevenson of Marceline was mingling with old friends Sunday.

Rome Lambert, wife and children spent Sunday with relatives at Mike.

Miss Aletha Cavanah left Sunday for an extended visit to relatives in Marceline.

Dr. Zillman was called Friday to see Miss Grace Dickerson who has been quite ill at the home of her sister Mrs. Tom Shearon.

Our community was saddened to hear of the untimely death of Mrs. John P. Tippet one of Chariton county's most noble women has gone to her reward.

There was a large crowd at the basket dinner Sunday at old Chariton and plenty of dinner for all and a general good time was had by all that were there.

We are glad to report, Miss Henry Allen who was operated on for tumor several weeks ago has been able to leave the hospital and will soon return home.

Wednesday June 21 Jimmie Duval and Miss Gay Maupia decided Marceline was to small a place to get married in so they hid themselves to Chraneville and to the residence of T. J. Shearon where with a few impressive words the twin was made one. Miss Mitchell and Herbert Staples and Mr. Hendrick and wife were the attendants. We extend congratulations.

There are no rounds of drink in the ladder of success.